

114TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. RES. 642

Authorizing taking pictures and filming in the Senate Chamber, the Senate Wing of the United States Capitol, and Senate Office Buildings for production of a film and a book on the history of the Senate.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 10 (legislative day, DECEMBER 9), 2016

Mr. MCCONNELL (for himself, Mr. REID, Mr. BLUNT, and Mr. SCHUMER)
submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

Authorizing taking pictures and filming in the Senate Chamber, the Senate Wing of the United States Capitol, and Senate Office Buildings for production of a film and a book on the history of the Senate.

1 *Resolved,*

2 **SECTION 1. AUTHORIZATION OF TAKING OF PICTURES AND**

3 **FILMING IN SENATE CHAMBER, SENATE**

4 **WING, AND SENATE OFFICE BUILDINGS.**

5 (a) AUTHORIZATION.—During the period beginning

6 on the date of adoption of this resolution and ending on

7 May 1, 2017, with respect to an individual or entity enter-

1 ing into a memorandum of understanding described in
2 subsection (d)—

3 (1) paragraph 1 of rule IV of the Rules for the
4 Regulation of the Senate Wing of the United States
5 Capitol and Senate Office Buildings (prohibiting the
6 taking of pictures in the Senate Chamber) is tempo-
7 rarily suspended for the purpose of permitting the
8 taking of pictures and filming while the Senate is in
9 session or in recess; and

10 (2) taking of pictures and filming shall be per-
11 mitted in the Senate Wing of the United States Cap-
12 itol and in Senate Office Buildings.

13 (b) LIMITATION ON USE OF IMAGES.—The pictures
14 taken and film made under subsection (a) may only be
15 used for production of a film documentary and a book on
16 the history of the Senate.

17 (c) ARRANGEMENTS.—The Sergeant at Arms and
18 Doorkeeper of the Senate shall make the necessary ar-
19 rangements to carry out this resolution, including such ar-
20 rangements as are necessary to ensure that the taking of
21 pictures and filming conducted under this resolution does
22 not disrupt any proceeding of the Senate.

23 (d) PRODUCTION AGREEMENT.—The Majority Lead-
24 er of the Senate, the Minority Leader of the Senate, and
25 the Chairman and Ranking Member of the Committee on

1 Rules and Administration of the Senate shall jointly enter
2 into a memorandum of understanding with an individual
3 or entity seeking to take pictures and conduct filming for
4 purposes of producing a film documentary and a book on
5 the history of the Senate to formalize an agreement on
6 locations and times for taking pictures and conducting
7 filming and the use of the pictures taken and film made
8 under this resolution.

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